**POSITION** Physician Assistant/Nurse Practitioner (Intermittent)

SALARY F/DOE

**DIVISION** Medical Services, Urgent Care Center

**CLOSE DATE** Open Until Filled

### **NATURE OF WORK:**

Provide direct patient care in the area they are assigned. Deliver and direct patient care at ANMC within the scope of the privileges approved by the JOB or at other locations as assigned. Completely and accurately obtain information in a courteous and respectful manner in order to determine an appropriate treatment plan. Perform treatments quickly and efficiently while keeping the patient informed. Set the expectation with the patient by listening to their concerns and addressing those that can be addressed and informing the patient of the course of action to follow for other health concerns. Communicate effectively. Verbal and written instructions are clear and concise and ensure that these instructions are understood by listening and asking for feedback. Patient notes are written legibly and clearly in order to provide adequate information for other health care providers. Appropriately addresses health care issues. Advise patients and family members in methods that facilitate a capacity for self- care and a move toward a healthcare partnership between providers, patients and their families. Counsel and instruct patients and family members either directly or by referral. Adjust the communication style depending on the receiver of the message. Utilize opportunities to provide helpful information to patients and their families. Listen for clues that the patient needs additional assistance in understanding the treatment plan or in carrying out the treatment plan. Use the computer system in order to obtain patient information, order labs and tests, and check messages. Consult and coordinate with health care providers working in other departments and in other locations. Provide assistance to the health care providers by answering questions regarding patient care. Work in coordination with the health care providers and case managers to develop treatment plans for patients. Work with all other staff in the department as a member of the department and the system. Work in coordination with the Quality Assurance Team and management to develop and implement a quality assurance program.

# KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES:

Ability to efficiently and effectively manage multiple clinical tasks. Ability and comfort to educate and coordinate with other health care professionals. Knowledge of 1974 Privacy Act. Knowledge of the resources available to treatment plans. Knowledge and skill in effective communication and interpersonal skills. Knowledge and skill to use the computer. Skill and capability to efficiently make decisions.

## QUALIFICATIONS:

SCF programs are established for the purpose of serving a primary population comprised of Alaska Natives who are affiliated with the Cook Inlet Region Inc. (CIRI), and Alaska Natives and American Indians within SCF's geographical service area. Employees in a leadership position must have a thorough understanding of the cultures and the needs of the CIRI members, and of the general culture and needs of Alaska Natives and American Indians. Such knowledge is critical in order to ensure the achievement of the mission and vision of SCF: working together with the Native community to provide the best services with Native staff who value the family and family wellness as the heart of the Native community. Current Certification required for position by the National Commission of Physician's Assistants or current Certification required for position by the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners or American Nurse Credentialing Center, (NP). Current valid Alaska license. Meets all requirements in order to obtain associate medical staff membership and required privileges of service. Post training clinical experience in specialty preferred. Basic Life Support (BLS) certification is required. ACLS, NRP, ATLS, ALSO and PALS as required for specialty. Continuing Medical Education to meet organizational and state licensing requirements.

### **INTERESTED APPLICATIONS:**

Please complete an online application by clicking the 'Apply' button at the top/bottom of this page. For more information contact Human Resources at scfhr@southcentralfoundation.com, (907) 729-4977 or Toll free at 1-800-478-3343

## NATIVE PREFERENCE UNDER P.L. 93-638.

Preference will not be given unless certification is submitted to Human Resources (a copy is acceptable).